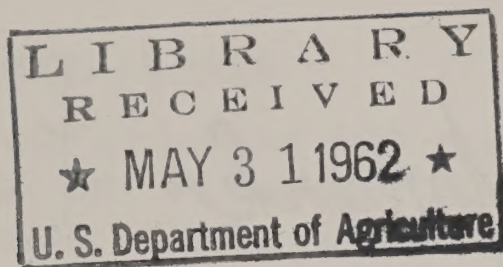


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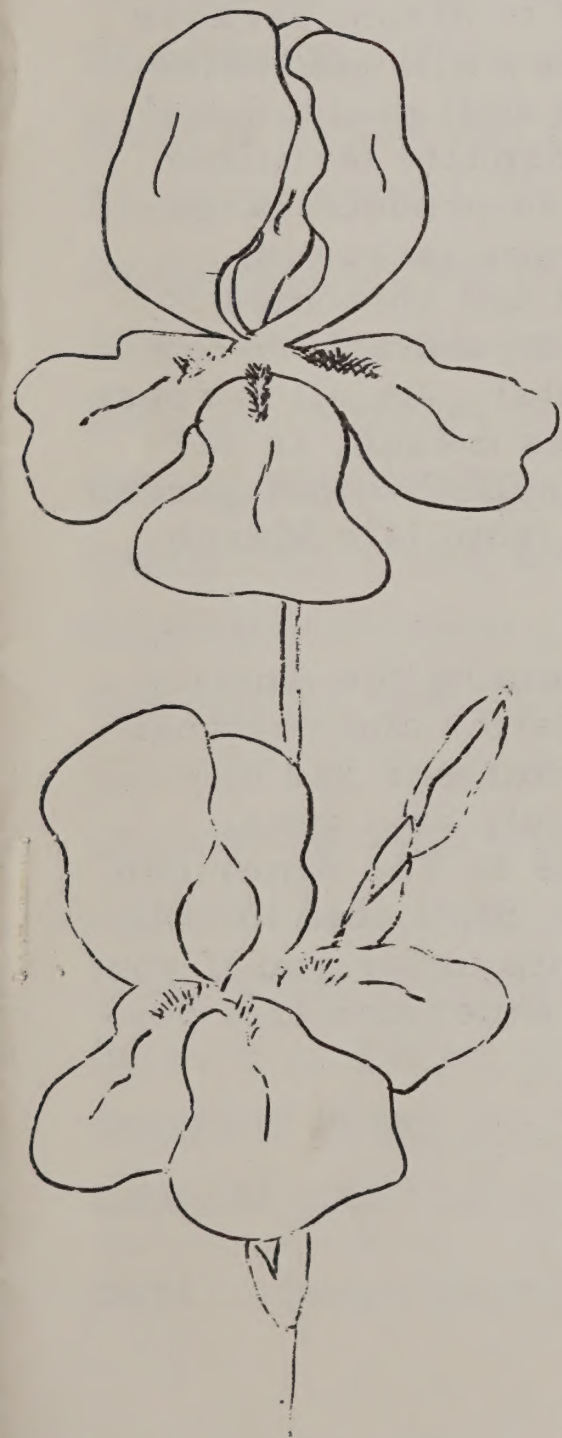
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IRISES

Growing and hybridizing modern iris is a hobby that can ease tensions and fill empty hours with pleasure. We still have no iris as red as Red Emperor tulips, as green as grass, as black as ebony, or even true blue. Hybridizing is easy and goals are many. Iris are far easier to grow than most flowers. They endure a great range in climate. Rhizomes can be stored dry for months when it is necessary to remake a garden or move. The attractive foliage add texture to the landscape when they are not in bloom. Color variety of iris seems limitless.

Many bearded iris are lost or fail to bloom because their requirements are neglected. They will not thrive in boggy soil or dense shade. Sun and well drained soil are necessities. They also need a phosphate fertilizer (bone meal, super phosphate, 5-10-5) to produce large flowers, sturdy stems, and good rhizome increase. Fertilizer should be washed off leaves and rhizomes to prevent burn. Spraying is necessary to control borers, other insects, and fungus diseases (rots). An all purpose orchard spray with a fungicide, such as maneb, is satisfactory. I use Isotox and Manzate applied with a garden hose sprayer at 2 to 4 week intervals from late March until October.

The iris hobbist will benefit by joining the American Iris Society. The four annual bulletins and regional group meetings will interest both the amateur and experienced gardener. Membership is only \$5 a year, family membership is \$6. Send checks to The American Iris Society, 2237 Tower Grove Blvd., St. Louis 10, Mo. If you like, I will send your membership in for you if you send your check, made payable to the American Iris Society, to me.

TALL BEARDED IRISES

SPECIAL OFFER: Your choice of 50¢ varieties; 10 for \$3.50, 20 for \$6.00, 30 for \$10. Please list a few substitutes. These will be rhizomes of finest quality.

(Date following name is the year introduced.)

ALADDIN'S WISH (45) Med. blue, cream brushings	. 50
ANGELUS (37) Lavender pink	. 35
ANITRA (36) Silvery blue	. 35
APRICOT GLORY (51) Smooth apricot pink	. 75
ARGUS PHEASANT (48) Golden brown. DyM -52	. 75
BALLERINA (51) Flamingo pink, orange beard	. 75
BLACK HILLS (51) Tall, black-purple	. 75
BLACK SATIN (51) Dark satiny blue-black	1. 00
BLUE RHYTHM (45) Silvery med. blue DyM-50	. 50
BLUE SAPPHIRE (53) Ruffled lgt. blue. DyM-58	1.50
BLUE SHIMMER (42) Heavy blue brushings on wht.	. 50
BRYCE CANYON (44) Bright copper brown	. 50
CASCADE SPLENDOR (45) Rffld, pink-brown blend	. 50
CHANTILLY (45) Lacy, light orchid pink	. 50
CHERIE (47) Shell pink, tangerine beard. DyM-51	. 75
CHIVALRY (44) Ruffled med. blue. DyM-47	. 50
CLIFFS OF DOVER (53) Clear white, yellow beard	. 75
CLOTH OF GOLD (45) Bright golden yellow	. 50
CLOUD CAP (50) Immense pink, tangerine beard	. 90
CONFETTI (49) Plicata, white with pink	. 50
DAFFY (47) Dots with stripes on cream	. 50
DESERT SONG (46) Ruffled cream	. 50
DREAM CASTLE (43) Wide, deep orchid pink	. 50

DyM --- Dykes Medal Awarded - (year)

DREAMY (53) Ruffled white	1.25
EBONY ECHO (48) Deep carmine	.50
EL PASO (49) Rich golden brown	.50
FIRECRACKER (43) Red and yellow plicata	.50
FIRST VIOLET (52) Ruffled violet. DyM-56	1.75
FOXFIRE (52) Ruffled yellow. President's cup-57	.75
FRANCIS KENT (51) Cream apricot, tangerine brd	.60
GAY ORCHID (49) Orchid, tangerine beard	.50
GHOSTIE (49) Silvery with striations	.50
GOLDEN RUSSET (46) Large, russet brown	.50
GOLDEN GLEAM (51) Dandelion yellow	.75
GOLD SOVEREIGN (49) Rich orange-yellow	.50
GOOD NEWS (46) Mustard gold	.50
GREEN PASTURES (47) Chartreuse yellow	.50
GUDRUN (31) Large white, gold beard. DyM-31	.35
HAPPY BIRTHDAY (52) Bright pink, tangerine brd.	1.25
HAPPY VALLEY (50) Violet, gold beard	.75
HARBOR BLUE (54) Large medium blue	1.50
HELEN COLLINGWOOD (49) Pale lavender standards, dark purple falls	.75
HELEN MCGREGOR (46) Clear, pale blue. DyM-49	.50
JANE PHILLIPS (50) Clear, medium blue	.65
JUNE BRIDE (52) Apricot pink, red beard	.65
LADY ILSE (51) Ruffled light blue	1.00
LADY LOUISE (47) Buff standards, white falls edged with buff	.50
LILAC LANE (47) Light lilac	.50
LOVE STORY (50) Flamingo pink	.60

MELODY LANE (49) Lgt. apricot, orange beard	.60
MINNIE COLQUITT (42) White plicata, heavy purple edging	.50
MOONLIGHT SONATA (46) Soft yellow	.50
MYSTIC MELODY (51) Yellow falls, cream standards	.65
NEW SNOW (46) Ruffled white, gold beard	.50
OLA KALA (43) Deep yellow. DyM-48	.50
ORANGEMAN (46) Smooth, deep orange-yellow	.50
PALOMINO (52) Ivory with tangerine beard	1.00
PARADISE PINK (50) Bright pink, tangerine beard	.75
PARTY DRESS (51) Ruffled lacy pink	.85
PATRICE (45) Plicata, cream with rose	.50
PIERRE MENARD (48) Violet toned, medium blue	.75
PINK CAMEO (41) Heavy textured light pink	.50
PINK CONFECTION (53) Rich pink	1.50
PINK LACE (47) Lacy clear pink	.50
PINNACLE (49) White standards, yellow falls	.50
PORT WINE (50) Plicata, deep purple with only a little white showing	.75
PRAIRIE SUNSET (39) Golden tan blend, DyM-43	.50
PROSPECTOR (50) Yellow, white area on falls	.65
RANGER (43) Dark red	.50
ROCKET (45) Med. yellow standards, deep yel. falls	.50
RODEO (47) Plicata, cream with brown markings	.50
RUFFLED BOUQUET (47) Frilly cream blend	.50
RUSSET WINGS (46) Glowing russet color	.50

SABLE (38) Dark glistening wine black	.50
SABLE NIGHT (52) Very dark reddish black. DyM-55	1.50
SAN ANTONE (47) Sandstone brown	.50
SHAH JEHAN (32) Ivory standards, purple falls	.35
SPRING ROMANCE (49) Frosty cream, orange brd	.50
STARSHINE (49) Soft yellow with bluish sheen	.60
SUMMIT (51) White standards, deep yellow falls	.65
SUNSET BLAZE (48) Brown blend, President's cup-49	.65
TABASCO (51) Gold and red plicata	.50
TEMPLE BELLS (52) Apricot, orange beard	.90
THOTMES III (50) Golden tan	1.00
TOP FLIGHT (53) Rich apricot orange	1.00
TOURNAMENT QUEEN (46) Large fuchsia-rose	.50
TRULY YOURS (49) Lacy, yellow shading to white DyM-53	1.00
TWILIGHT SKY (49) Pink with red-tinged beard	.50
VIOLET HARMONY (52) Violet blue. DyM-57	1.50
WEIRDIE (49) Striated buff and rose blend	.50
ZUA (14) Medium size, crinkled pale blue-white	.50

ARIL-BRED IRISES

Aril-breds were obtained by crossing tall bearded with Aril varieties. Generally they are somewhat bizarre in appearance, hardier than Arils, but slightly harder to grow than the tall bearded. They need dry, well drained conditions, and a basic (limed) soil. The rhizomes of most are very small, but flowers are large and often veined with an overlay of color on color.

SPECIAL OFFER: 6 different varieties, my choice, for \$3; 12 varieties for \$5.25.

ASKALON (49) Lavender-pink, yel. flush on falls	.60
BARRIMOHR (44) Purple bi-color	.60
BEDTIME (39) Brown, purple veining	.60
BLUMOHR (49) Lavender	.75
BRILLIG () Yellow, purple veining	.60
BUTTERFLY WINGS (46) Lilac blue and tan	.75
CAPITOLA (40) Soft red-violet	.75
COGETTE (38) Rosy purple	.60
EASTERMOHR (53) Medium blue	1.00
ELMOHR (42) Rich purple. DyM-45	.60
ENCHANTED (44) Maroon veining on white, brown blend	.60
ENGRAVED (52) White with veining of steel blue	1.00
GAZA (49) Clay pink	.75
KING DAVID (51) Rich blue-purple	.75
KISH (47) Violet veining on white	.60
LABEN EFFENDI (54) Lavender stnds, purple falls	2.00
LADY MOHR (44) Oyster white standards, green tinted falls	.60
MOHR ELEGANCE (53) Pale amethyst	.75

MOHRESQUE (50) Buff, purple striations	.60
MOHRLOFF () Lgt.mauve, violet shadings on wht.	.60
MOUNT ARARAT (49) Plicata, white with violet	.60
MOZO (38) Red veining on light yellow	.60
MUSTAPHA (40) Gray, lavender and maroon	.60
MYOMY (47) White, pink tinted	.60
NELSON OF HILLY (41) White, cream with brown and purple dots	.75
NIGHT MOTH (53) Wisteria purple	1.50
NOMOHR (55) Light yellow, traces of violet	2.00
ORMOHR (38) Grayish lavender	.60
OYEZ (38) Pinkish white, dark brown styles	.75
PEG DABAUGH (48) Deep blue-violet	.60
PRESENT (41) Amethyst pink	.75
SARDIS I (46) Lilac violet	.60
SARDIS II () Heavier veined than Sardis I	.60
SHERIFFA (42) Mulberry, metallic sheen	.60
SIKHMOHR (53) Rosy-red	1.00
SOME LOVE (38) Cinnamon dots on white	.75
YARKAND (48) Violet blend, black beard	.75
YUSSUF (42) Grayish mulberry	.75

DWARF IRISES
(4 to 12 inches)

SPECIAL OFFER: 5 for \$2.00; 10 for \$3.50.
My choice of varieties.

ALBA	white	.40
ATOVIOLACEA	violet	.40
BALKANA	deep purple	.40
BLAZON	deep maroon	.75
FIOR DEL MONDO	yellow, brown veins	.50
GREEN SPOT	Off-white, greenish blaze on falls	.75
GREAT SMOKIES	smoky red-purple	.40
LITTLE ELSA	lemon yellow	.40
LITTLE VILLIAN	dark violet-black, white beard	.50
MOON GLEAM	sulfur yellow	.40
ORANGE GLINT	orange yellow	.75
PATH OF GOLD	golden yellow	.50
PROMISE	mauve pink	.50
SOUND MONEY	rich yellow	.40
SULINA	deep violet-blue	.75
TINY TONY	wine-red, orange beard	.50
TINY TREASURE	light gold	.50

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Plicata ---stippled or stitched margins

Standards --- three upper petals

Falls --- three lower petals

Rhizomes --- fleshy part of plant

Dykes Medal (DyM) --- Award given to the one best eligible iris each year ().

Minimum order is \$3.00. All orders are postpaid. No C. O. D. orders. Pennsylvania residents please include 4% state sales tax. Shipping begins about July 10 until mid-October. All orders acknowledged. Rhizomes are State Inspected, free of dirt, disinfected, and labeled. Extra plants and plastic garden labels are included with each order.

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